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The Honorable Andrew L. Carter Jr.  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
40 Foley Square  
New York, NY 10007

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Re: *United States v. Kellivan Blount*  
S1 21 Cr. 531 (ALC)

Dear Judge Carter:

The Government writes, jointly with defense counsel, to provide a status report in the above-captioned case. The parties have been discussing a pretrial disposition of this matter but those conversations remain ongoing. The parties respectfully request an additional 45 days to continue those conversations, at which point the parties can provide another status report to the Court. The parties further request that the motions schedule remain adjourned sine die while the parties continue to discuss a potential pretrial disposition. Finally, the Government requests, with the consent of defense counsel, that time be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), between today and the date of the parties' next status report.

Respectfully submitted,

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The entire application is **GRANTED**. Joint Status Report due 3/25/22.  
Time excluded from 2/8/22 to 3/25/22 in the interest of justice.  
So Ordered.

  
3/8/22